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The Southwestern Region of Nova Scotia comprises the counties of Lunenburg, Queens, Shelburne, Yarmouth and Digby.

The first permanent European settlements in Yarmouth and Digby Counties were made by the Acadians in 1651. The Acadians were expelled from the area in 1755, but many returned to Clare and Argyle Municipalities in the summer of 1758. In 1753, German settlers arrived in Lunenburg; and in 1759 - 1761, New England Yankees landed in Yarmouth and Queens Counties. As the American Revolution drew to a close, the Port Roseway Association formed in New York and looked for a settlement area where they could remain under the British monarchy. In May 1783, eighteen square riggers and a number of small craft brought these Loyalists to Shelburne Town. By 1784, the town was flourishing with 3,000 house lots, but the poor soils of the area and the loss of government rations in 1786 resulted in a mass exodus.

Throughout the nineteenth century, the area prospered from fishing, construction of fishing and sailing vessels and trade with New England and the Caribbean. The first regular weekly steamship service between Yarmouth and Boston began in 1885. Tourism began to thrive with this service, and its loss during World War II was a blow to the local economy. Restoration of the ferry service to Bar Harbour, Maine began in 1955, and a second service to Portland, Maine has contributed greatly to tourism and the transportation needs of the region.

Shipbuilding experienced a decline after the 1880's with the passing of the sailing ship. Diversification, however, began in the 1920's with the establishment of the Bowater Mersey Paper Company at Brooklyn in Queens County. Fish processing plants established at numerous ports throughout the region with the largest being located at Lunenburg. The Lunenburg County area also received a major economic boost with the establishment of a Michelin Tire plant at Bridgewater in 1971. A commercial airport at Yarmouth, ferry service from Digby to Saint John, New Brunswick and development of highways 101 and 103 from the centre of the province to Yarmouth have provided new transportation links for marketing of local products.

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	Year	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County	Total Southwestern Region	% of Nova Scotia
Land area (sq. kilometres)	--	2,472.48	2,880.44	2,367.71	2,356.52	2,070.71	12,147.86	23.0
Population	1986	21,852	46,483	13,148	17,516	27,073	126,072	14.4
Population density	1986	8.8	16.1	5.6	7.4	13.1	10.4	63.0
Labour force	1986	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	52,000	13.1
Employed	1986	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	46,000	13.4
Average income per tax filer ($)	1984	12,110	14,713	14,669	13,921	13,655	13,906	88.1
Number of farms	1981	203	406	65	36	143	853	16.9
Lumber production (M. fbm.)	1985	9,562	14,322	10,845	3,141	3,404	41,274	22.4
Pulpwood production (m^3 solid wood)	1985	57,403	116,865	74,785	10,779	15,773	275,605	12.6
Sea fish landings - metric tons	1985	66,038	73,342	12,791	72,993	65,628	290,792	63.0
Sea fish landings - ($'000)	1985	38,853	52,577	11,512	68,975	41,790	213,707	68.3
Number of manufacturing establishments	1983	37	61	13	60	54	225	28.0
Value of manufacturing shipments ($'000)	1983	71,832	285,094	98,625	101,815	79,966	637,332	16.4
Number of permits for residential units	1985	62	206	65	109	156	598	7.2
Value of total building permits ($'000)	1985	4,891	16,639	3,693	7,256	8,216	40,695	6.1

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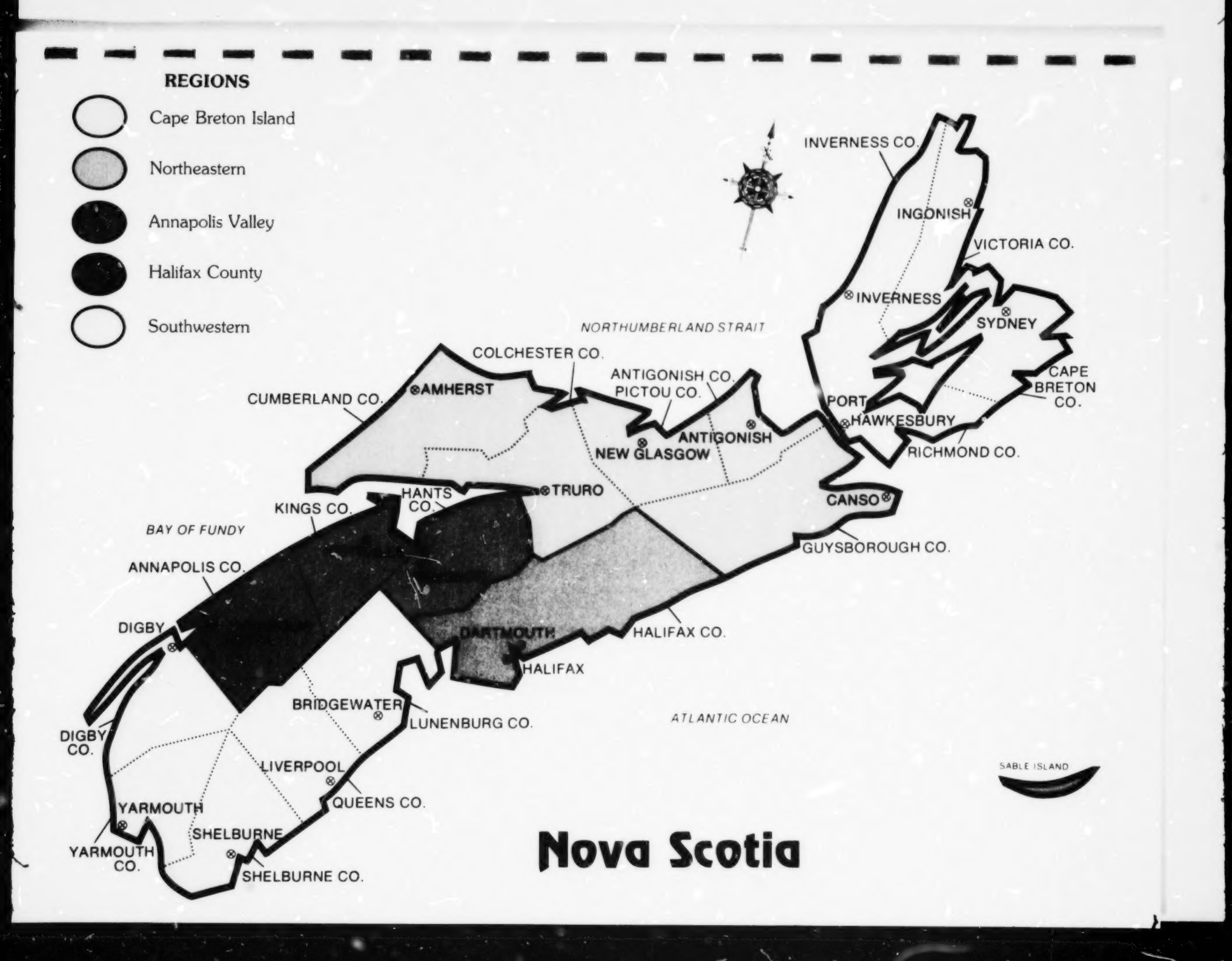
Source: Statistics Canada, Fisheries and Oceans Canada, Revenue Canada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Annapolis Valley
Halifax County
Southwestern
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VICTORIA CO.
INVERNESS
SYDNEY
NORTHUMBERLAND STRAIT
COLCHESTER CO.
ANTIGONISH CO.
PICTOU CO.
CAPE BRETON CO.
CUMBERLAND CO.
AMHERST
PORT HAWKESBURY
ANTIGONISH
NEW GLASGOW
RICHMOND CO.
TRURO
HANTS CO.
KINGS CO.
CANSO
BAY OF FUNDY
GUYSBOROUGH CO.
ANNAPOLIS CO.
DIGBY
DARTMOUTH
HALIFAX CO.
HALIFAX
BRIDGEWATER
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ATLANTIC OCEAN
DIGBY CO.
LIVERPOOL
QUEENS CO.
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GRAPH 1

POPULATION — SOUTHWESTERN REGION AND NOVA SCOTIA, 1971-1981

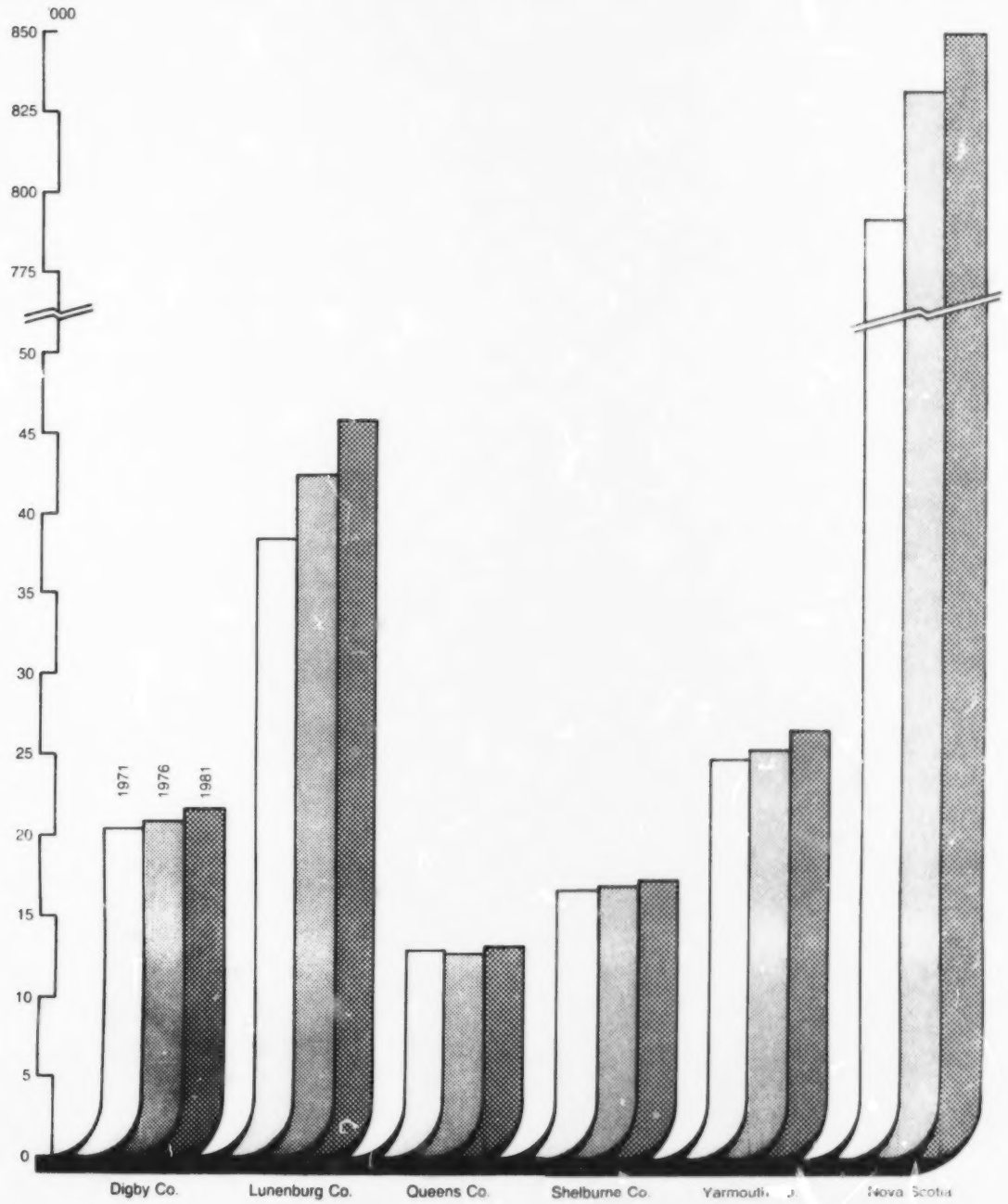


TABLE I

POPULATION GROWTH
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1971 - 1981

	Population 1971	Population 1976	% Change 1971-76	Population 1981			% Change 1976-81
				Male	Female	Total	
Digby County	20,349	20,932	2.8	10,840	10,850	21,689	3.6
Digby	2,363	2,542	7.0	1,170	1,390	2,558	0.6
Clare Municipality	8,977	9,149	1.9	4,845	4,755	9,598	4.9
Digby Municipality	8,964	9,202	2.6	1,170	1,385	9,496	3.2
Indian Reserves	45	39	-15.4	15	20	37	-5.1
Lunenburg County	38,422	42,388	9.4	22,970	22,780	45,746	7.9
Bridgewater	5,231	6,010	13.0	3,205	3,465	6,669	11.0
Lunenburg	3,215	3,024	-6.3	1,420	1,595	3,014	-0.3
Mahone Bay	1,333	1,236	-7.8	580	645	1,225	-0.7
Chester Municipality	9,201	9,955	7.6	5,205	5,040	10,242	2.9
Lunenburg Municipality	19,442	22,160	12.3	12,360	12,035	24,593	11.0
Indian Reserves	0	3	--	0	0	0	--
Queens County	12,950	12,947	0.0	6,645	6,485	13,126	1.4
Liverpool	3,654	3,336	-9.5	1,615	1,690	3,304	-1.0
Sub. A	3,013	3,169	4.9	1,645	1,630	3,278	3.4
Sub. B	6,271	6,417	2.3	3,370	3,155	6,523	1.7
Indian Reserves	12	25	208.3	n/a	n/a	21	-16.0
Shelburne County	16,661	16,970	1.8	8,795	8,530	17,328	2.1
Clark's Harbour	1,082	1,077	-0.5	555	503	1,059	-1.7
Lockeport	1,208	1,030	-17.3	460	470	929	-9.8
Shelburne	2,689	2,511	-7.1	1,110	1,200	2,303	-8.3
Barrington Municipality	6,921	7,258	4.6	3,955	3,725	7,680	5.8
Shelburne Municipality	4,761	5,094	6.5	2,720	2,635	5,357	5.8
Yarmouth County	24,682	25,210	2.1	12,290	13,390	26,290	4.3
Yarmouth	8,519	7,801	-9.2	3,475	3,995	7,475	-4.2
Argyle Municipality	8,517	8,618	1.2	4,505	4,445	8,949	3.8
Yarmouth Municipality	7,640	8,767	12.9	4,935	4,935	9,842	12.3
Indian Reserves	9	24	266.7	n/a	n/a	24	0.0
Total Southwestern Region	**113,064**	**118,447**	**4.5**	**61,540**	**62,035**	**124,175**	**4.6**
Nova Scotia	788,960	828,571	4.8	419,575	427,865	847,440	2.3

N/A - data not available

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 2

POPULATION OF UNINCORPORATED CENTRES OF 250+
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1976 AND 1981

County	1976	1981
Digby County		
Bear River - Sissaboo	716	859
Belliveau Cove	387	404
Centreville	257	257
Church Point	377	318
Comeauville	341	292
Concession	208	378
Conway	388	310
Freeport	474	452
Grosses Coques	284	357
Little Brook	298	290
Mavillette	214	297
Meteghan	761	890
Meteghan Centre	364	350
Meteghan River	266	342
Meteghan Station	119	254
Mt. Pleasant - Prince William	294	332
Plymouth Station	251	274
Salmon River	331	323
Saulnierville	307	395
Saulnierville Station	157	250
Smith's Cove - Smith's Cove Station	240	253
St. Bernard	338	322
Tiverton	315	292
Weaver Settlement	285	272
Westport	341	353
Weymouth	483	359
Weymouth Falls	145	263
Lunenburg County		
Bakers Settlement	258	262
Blockhouse	640	613
Blue Rocks	371	328
Chester	1,121	1,119
Chester Basin	493	639
Clearland	283	275
Commons	246	274
Conquerall Bank	356	483
Conquerall Mills	331*	463
Dayspring	416	643
East Chester	471	332
First South	428	281
Forties	165	417
Fox Point	440	399
Garden Lots	336	334
Gold River	n/a	488
Hebbs Cross	393	408
Hebbville	481	825
Hemford	233	277
Italy Cross	196	282
Lower Branch	278	256
Lower Grant Road	n/a	268
Martins Point	422	483
Martins River	365	369
Middlewood	427	438
Mill Cove	359	303
New Germany	910	581
New Ross	516	372
North River	324	312
Oak Hill	236	278
Petite Riviere	294	281
Pleasantville	401	491
Rhodes Corner	274	278
Riverport	360	387
Simms Settlement	251	326
Tancook Island	251	250
Upper LaHave	249	301
Upper Northfield	232	231
West LaHave	257	260
Western Shore	1,242	704
Wileville	890*	742
Queens County		
Brooklyn	1,179	1,259
Caledonia	456	517
Mersey Point - Mount Pleasant	262	458
Milton	1,918	1,659
Port Medway	362	381
Port Mouton	248	291
South West Port Mouton	292	267
Shelburne County		
Barrington	424	383
Barrington Passage	426	722
Central Woods Harbour	270	290
Clam Point	336	358
East Green Harbour	321	391
Jordan Falls - Jordan Falls Station	318	376
Lower Clark's Harbour	265	269
Lower Sandy Point	n/a	257
Lower Woods Harbour	602	550
Newellton	474	377
North East Point	292	339
Sandy Point	569	684
Shag Harbour	216	254
South Side	437	434
Stony Island	253	272
West Green Harbour	320	307
Yarmouth County		
Amiraults Hill	374	396
Arcadia	327	481
Hebron	388	390
Lower Wedgeport	600	551
Lower West Pubnico	778	790
Melbourne	260	302
Middle West Pubnico	519	513
Pinkneys Point	308	291
Plymouth	231	282
Port Maitland	487	475
Rockville	243	281
Sandford	307	305
Sluice Point	270	338
South Ohio	114	366
Tusket	400	388
Upper Wedgeport	205	295
Wedgeport	797	827
West Pubnico	571	574

N/A - data not available

*Includes part of the population of the surrounding area.

Due to the lack of legal or official boundaries, the Census is not always able to distinguish the population of these unincorporated places from that of the surrounding area. The population figures shown above for 1976 and 1981 should thus be considered as approximations.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 3

RURAL AND URBAN POPULATION DISTRIBUTION
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1976 AND 1981

	1976[1]				1981[2]			
	% of Total Population				% of Total Population			
	Rural			Total	Rural			Total
	Non-Farm	Farm	Urban	Population	Non-farm	Farm	Urban	Population
Digby County	84.4	3.5	12.1	20,932	84.7	3.5	11.8	21,689
Lunenburg County	66.4	4.0	29.6	42,388	68.1	3.1	28.8	45,746
Queens County	49.6	1.7	48.7	12,947	51.2	1.7	47.1	13,126
Shelburne County	72.0	0.8	27.2	16,970	74.6	0.6	24.8	17,328
Yarmouth County	66.8	2.3	30.9	25,210	69.8	1.8	28.4	26,290
Total Southwestern Region	68.6	2.8	28.6	118,447	70.5	2.4	27.1	124,179
Nova Scotia	40.9	2.6	56.5	828,571	42.8	2.1	55.1	847,442

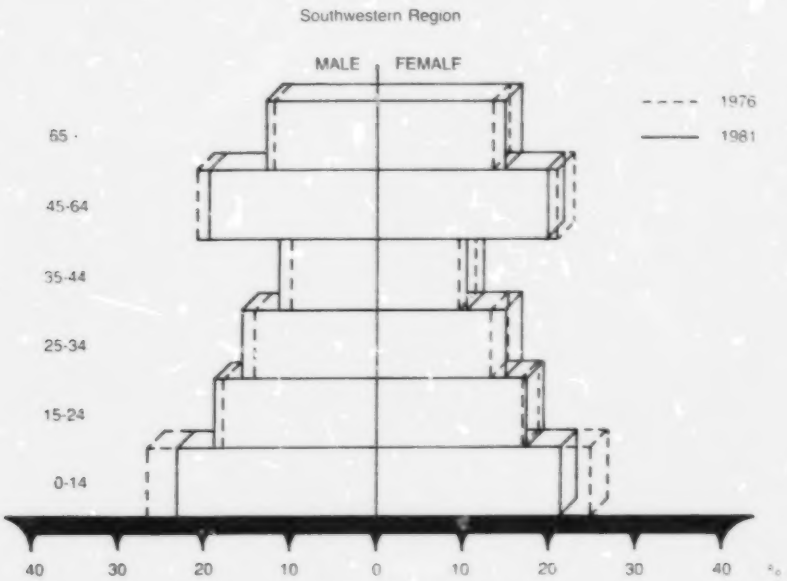
[1] Based on 1951 definition of farm population.

[2] Farm population in 1981 refers to all persons living in a farm operator household on a farm situated in either a rural or urban area. Only farms with sales of $250 or more are included.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

GRAPH 2

AGE – SEX POPULATION DISTRIBUTION – SOUTHWESTERN REGION & NOVA SCOTIA, 1976 & 1981



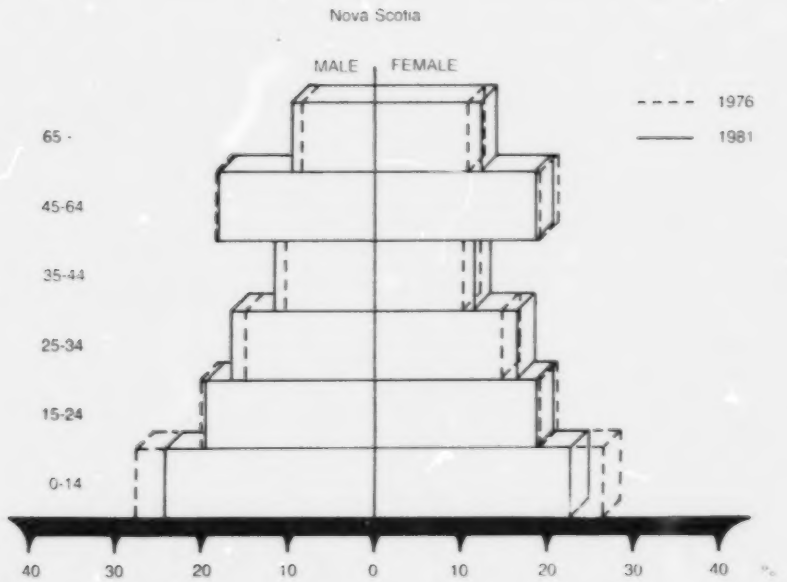


TABLE 4

AGE AND SEX DISTRIBUTION OF THE POPULATION
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1976 AND 1981

		Age Group						Total Number
		0-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+	
		(% of totals)						
Digby County	- 1976 - Male	27.6	17.7	12.2	9.2	20.6	12.8	10,520
	Female	25.9	17.4	11.9	9.4	21.3	14.0	10,415
	- 1981 - Male	23.1	19.1	14.4	10.2	19.6	13.6	10,835
	Female	21.6	18.5	13.8	10.5	20.5	15.2	10,850
Lunenburg County	- 1976 - Male	24.4	17.5	15.1	10.1	20.9	11.9	21,340
	Female	23.7	16.9	13.9	10.1	21.2	14.1	21,050
	- 1981 - Male	22.1	18.0	16.3	11.6	19.6	12.4	22,970
	Female	21.0	17.0	15.7	11.1	20.0	15.2	22,780
Queens County	- 1976 - Male	26.5	16.9	13.2	10.4	21.1	12.1	6,550
	Female	24.4	17.0	13.1	10.6	21.9	13.2	6,395
	- 1981 - Male	22.1	18.2	14.2	11.7	19.6	14.2	6,645
	Female	21.6	16.1	14.4	11.3	21.3	15.3	6,485
Shelburne County	- 1976 - Male	28.1	19.1	13.7	10.3	18.8	10.0	8,675
	Female	27.3	17.7	13.8	9.9	19.5	11.7	8,300
	- 1981 - Male	24.8	19.5	15.8	11.1	18.1	10.7	8,795
	Female	23.4	18.7	15.8	10.3	19.1	12.7	8,530
Yarmouth County	- 1976 - Male	27.3	18.3	14.1	8.6	20.2	11.5	12,455
	Female	24.9	17.7	13.1	8.9	21.0	14.3	12,760
	- 1981 - Male	24.0	18.7	15.3	10.6	18.7	12.7	12,900
	Female	21.8	18.2	15.0	10.1	19.4	15.5	13,390
Total Southwestern Region	- 1976 - Male	26.3	17.9	14.0	9.7	20.4	11.7	59,540
	Female	24.9	17.3	13.3	9.8	21.0	13.7	58,920
	- 1981 - Male	23.0	18.6	15.5	11.1	19.2	12.6	62,145
	Female	21.6	17.6	15.1	10.7	20.0	15.0	62,035
Nova Scotia	- 1976 - Male	27.7	20.0	15.0	10.4	18.2	8.6	414,155
	Female	26.3	19.1	14.6	10.1	19.1	10.8	414,420
	- 1981 - Male	24.3	19.8	16.5	11.6	18.1	9.7	419,575
	Female	22.6	18.9	16.4	11.2	18.7	12.2	427,865

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 5

POPULATION BY MARITAL STATUS & SEX
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

		Single (Never Married)		Married			
		Under 15 Years	15 Years & over	Married	Separated	Widowed	Divorced
Digby County	- Total	4,845	4,525	10,220	380	1,380	340
	Male	2,500	2,605	5,120	185	270	165
	Female	2,345	1,925	5,100	195	1,115	175
Lunenburg County	- Total	9,845	8,355	23,315	590	2,765	880
	Male	5,065	5,045	11,675	305	465	415
	Female	4,775	3,310	11,640	280	2,300	470
Queens County	- Total	2,870	2,360	6,680	165	820	230
	Male	1,475	1,450	3,350	80	170	120
	Female	1,395	910	3,330	80	655	110
Shelburne County	- Total	4,170	3,225	8,500	225	945	260
	Male	2,175	1,935	4,265	110	190	125
	Female	1,995	1,290	4,240	115	755	145
Yarmouth County	- Total	6,015	5,290	12,475	440	2,075	490
	Male	3,095	2,875	6,250	195	480	200
	Female	2,920	2,410	6,230	240	1,590	290
Total Southwestern Region	- Total	27,745	23,755	61,190	1,800	7,985	2,200
	Male	19,225	13,910	30,660	875	1,575	1,025
	Female	13,430	9,845	30,540	910	6,415	1,185
Nova Scotia	- Total	198,490	184,515	383,885	13,625	45,480	16,450
	Male	101,740	101,990	194,800	5,975	8,040	7,025
	Female	96,750	82,525	194,085	7,640	37,440	9,420

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 6

VITAL STATISTICS
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981 - 1985

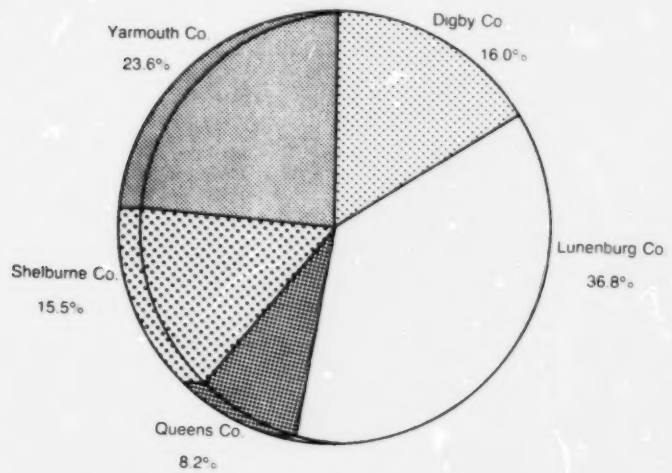
	Live Births by Place of Residence					Deaths by Place of Residence				
	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Digby County	268	260	277	279	265	198	209	231	231	228
Digby	30	41	49	46	47	25	26	35	42	47
Lunenburg County	581	607	578	581	608	456	383	385	425	457
Bridgewater	85	90	93	99	106	59	46	54	40	75
Lunenburg	37	37	36	43	41	55	53	48	51	53
Mahone Bay	15	17	21	10	17	17	13	16	19	32
Queens County	145	122	154	158	135	132	140	162	145	150
Liverpool	43	39	49	39	36	41	46	38	42	49
Shelburne County	208	251	247	230	256	144	141	144	160	158
Clark's Harbour	11	18	16	12	11	9	13	5	5	12
Lockeport	13	12	14	18	14	12	9	14	20	9
Shelburne	36	50	35	44	50	22	19	17	30	25
Yarmouth County	359	357	365	366	390	249	291	251	250	247
Yarmouth	102	105	111	115	120	92	104	94	91	91
Total Southwestern Region	1,601	1,597	1,621	1,614	1,654	1,179	1,164	1,173	1,211	1,240
Nova Scotia	12,079	12,325	12,401	12,378	12,450	6,958	6,941	7,047	6,913	7,315

Source: Department of Health, Vital Statistics

GRAPH 3

BIRTHS/DEATHS BY COUNTY — SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1985

BIRTHS



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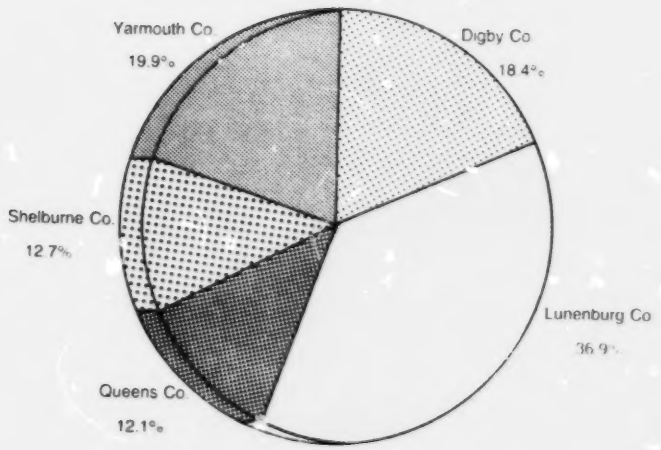

TABLE 7

FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

	Total Families	Families by Number of Persons						Total Persons in Families	Average No. of Persons per Family	
		2	3	4	5	6	7+		1981	1976
Digby County	5,620	2,270	1,190	1,145	585	265	165	18,460	3.3	3.5
Digby	660	305	160	110	60	20	5	2,015	3.1	3.3
Clare Municipality	2,475	950	505	530	270	125	85	8,330	3.4	3.6
Digby Municipality	2,480	1,020	525	505	250	110	70	8,085	3.3	3.4
Lunenburg County	12,560	5,255	2,805	2,825	1,160	365	150	39,315	3.1	3.3
Bridgewater	1,795	780	415	390	155	40	20	5,510	3.1	3.2
Lunenburg	820	400	170	150	75	20	10	2,470	3.0	3.1
Mahone Bay	320	150	65	65	25	10	5	960	3.0	3.3
Chester Municipality	2,800	1,140	645	620	280	85	25	8,810	3.1	3.3
Lunenburg Municipality	6,825	2,785	1,515	1,600	625	220	90	21,565	3.2	3.3
Queens County	3,595	1,515	785	775	360	105	60	11,355	3.2	3.3
Liverpool	900	400	175	195	85	30	10	2,805	3.1	3.3
Queens	2,700	1,115	605	580	270	80	45	8,535	3.2	3.3
Shelburne County	4,605	1,700	1,045	1,125	490	175	70	15,090	3.3	3.4
Clark's Harbour	300	115	75	70	25	10	10	955	3.2	3.3
Lockeport	250	105	45	55	25	10	0	775	3.2	3.3
Shelburne	595	230	140	125	60	25	10	1,925	3.2	3.4
Barrington Municipality	2,095	730	505	530	225	75	25	6,875	3.3	3.4
Shelburne Municipality	1,375	520	280	340	150	60	30	4,570	3.3	3.5
Yarmouth County	6,915	2,715	1,470	1,545	755	300	135	22,585	3.3	3.4
Yarmouth	1,840	785	420	365	170	85	25	5,805	3.1	3.4
Argyle Municipality	2,370	810	525	585	285	110	60	8,015	3.4	3.6
Yarmouth Municipality	2,700	1,120	525	590	300	105	55	8,745	3.2	3.4
Total Southwestern Region	**33,295**	**13,455**	**7,295**	**7,415**	**3,350**	**1,210**	**580**	**106,803**	**3.2**	**3.4**
Nova Scotia	216,200	78,495	48,280	50,540	24,520	9,315	5,045	721,035	3.3	3.5

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 8

FAMILY INCOMES
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1980

	Average Family Income $	% of Nova Scotia Average %	% Low Income Families of Total Families[1] %
Digby County	17,995	82.3	16.6
Digby	20,056	91.7	21.2
Clare Municipality	17,652	80.7	14.1
Digby Municipality	17,832	81.5	17.9
Lunenburg County	20,887	95.5	10.0
Lunenburg	26,718	122.2	10.2
Mahone Bay	22,151	101.3	13.8
Bridgewater	22,542	103.1	9.9
Chester Municipality	20,444	93.5	10.5
Lunenburg Municipality	19,874	90.9	9.6
Queens County	19,138	87.5	14.2
Liverpool	20,322	92.9	16.5
Sub. A	19,469	89.0	11.6
Sub. B	18,409	84.2	14.3
Shelburne County	19,827	90.6	12.0
Clark's Harbour	22,691	103.7	8.7
Lockeport	17,834	81.5	10.2
Shelburne	18,738	85.7	18.1
Barrington Municipality	21,044	96.2	10.0
Shelburne Municipality	18,174	83.1	13.4
Yarmouth County	19,758	90.3	14.6
Yarmouth	20,207	92.4	21.2
Argyle Municipality	19,937	91.2	12.8
Yarmouth Municipality	19,335	88.4	11.5
Total Southwestern Region	**19,521**	**89.3**	**12.8**
Nova Scotia	21,872	100.0	14.2

[1]Low income statistics from Statistics Canada for 1978 National Family Expenditure Survey and updated to 1980 by changes in the Consumer Price Index since 1978. The cut-offs are based on size of family unit and population size of area of residence.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 9

AVERAGE INCOME PER INCOME TAX FILER
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1980 AND 1983

		All Returns Filed			
		Number	Total Income $'000	Average Income $	% Average Income of Nova Scotia Average %
Digby County	- 1980	11,601	105,860	9,125	82.5
	- 1983	12,354	143,046	11,579	78.6
Lunenburg County	- 1980	24,419	271,062	11,100	100.4
	- 1983	24,913	343,791	13,800	93.7
Queens County	- 1980	7,580	79,659	10,509	95.0
	- 1983	7,600	105,250	13,849	94.1
Shelburne County	- 1980	9,764	97,757	10,012	90.5
	- 1983	10,023	129,042	12,875	87.4
Yarmouth County	- 1980	14,880	147,407	9,906	89.6
	- 1983	15,267	196,963	12,901	87.6
Total Southwestern Region	- 1980	68,244	701,745	10,130	91.6
	- 1983	70,157	918,092	13,001	88.3
Nova Scotia	- 1980	483,322	5,345,016	11,059	100.0
	- 1983	490,274	7,218,089	14,723	100.0

	Percent of Returns by Income Group - 1983						
	Under $5,000	$5,000-10,000	$10,000-15,000	$15,000-20,000	$20,000-25,000	$25,000-30,000	$30,000 & Over
Digby County	30.7	25.1	18.0	10.2	5.9	3.9	6.2
Lunenburg County	28.3	18.8	16.2	11.5	9.8	6.3	9.1
Queens County	29.2	19.5	15.7	10.8	8.1	5.8	10.8
Shelburne County	27.1	22.1	18.2	12.4	8.4	4.9	6.9
Yarmouth County	28.3	22.4	18.1	11.7	6.9	4.6	8.0
Total Southwestern Region	28.7	21.3	17.2	11.4	8.1	5.2	8.2
Nova Scotia	26.3	18.9	15.8	11.9	9.1	6.8	11.1

Source: Revenue Canada, Taxation: Taxation Statistics

GRAPH 4

AVERAGE INCOME PER INCOME TAX FILER –
SOUTHWESTERN REGION & NOVA SCOTIA, 1980 & 1983

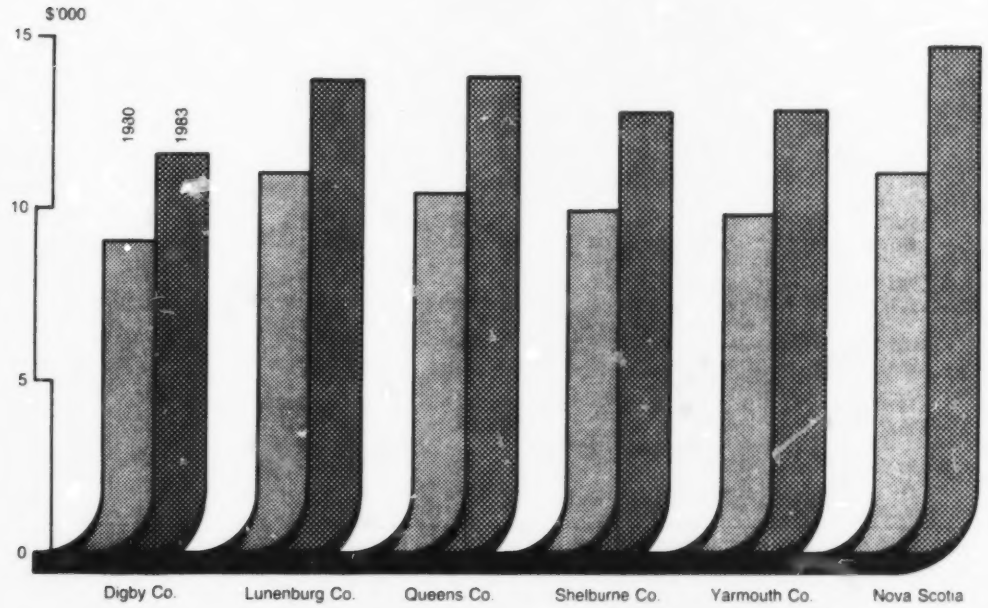

TABLE 10

HOUSEHOLDS AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1976 AND 1981

	Number of Households		Average Number of Persons per Household	
	1976	1981	1976	1981
Digby County	6,235	7,030	3.3	3.0
Digby	870	955	2.8	2.6
Clare Municipality	2,555	2,935	3.5	3.2
Digby Municipality	2,802	3,130	3.2	3.0
Indian Reserves	10	15	4.0	2.3
Lunenburg County	13,525	15,725	3.1	2.9
Bridgewater	2,050	2,475	2.9	2.7
Lunenburg	980	1,055	2.9	2.7
Mahone Bay	390	440	3.0	2.6
Chester Municipality	3,215	3,525	3.1	2.8
Lunenburg Municipality	6,895	8,230	3.2	3.0
Queens County	4,025	4,420	3.2	2.9
Liverpool	1,065	1,165	3.1	2.8
Sub. A	955	1,075	3.0	3.0
Sub. B	2,000	2,180	3.1	2.9
Shelburne County	5,095	5,545	3.2	3.1
Clark's Harbour	340	345	3.1	3.0
Lockeport	315	315	3.2	2.8
Shelburne	790	790	3.1	2.9
Barrington Municipality	2,170	2,430	3.3	3.1
Shelburne Municipality	1,485	1,655	3.3	3.1
Yarmouth County	7,555	8,555	3.3	3.0
Yarmouth	2,510	2,675	3.0	2.7
Argyle Municipality	2,385	2,730	3.6	3.3
Yarmouth Municipality	2,655	3,140	3.2	3.1
Total Southwestern Region	**36,435**	**41,275**	**3.2**	**3.0**
Nova Scotia	243,100	273,195	3.3	3.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 11

OCCUPIED DWELLINGS BY TENURE AND TYPE
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

	Tenure		Type			
	Owned %	Rented %	Singles Doubles & Row %	Apartments %	Mobiles %	Occupied Dwellings
Digby County	83.7	16.3	90.4	6.5	3.1	7,030
Digby	52.1	47.9	66.5	33.0	0.5	955
Clare Municipality	88.6	11.4	95.4	2.4	2.2	2,965
Digby Municipality	88.8	11.2	93.4	2.4	4.2	3,130
Lunenburg County	82.4	17.6	84.6	7.7	7.7	15,720
Bridgewater	59.8	40.2	67.8	28.7	3.5	2,470
Lunenburg	67.5	32.5	82.7	17.3	0	1,055
Mahone Bay	64.8	35.2	78.4	19.3	2.3	440
Chester Municipality	84.4	15.6	89.4	2.0	8.6	3,530
Lunenburg Municipality	91.1	8.9	88.2	1.9	9.9	8,230
Queens County	85.7	14.3	88.8	5.2	6.0	4,420
Liverpool	72.3	27.7	82.5	15.5	1.7	1,165
Queens Municipality	90.6	9.4	90.8	1.4	7.8	3,250
Shelburne County	85.5	14.5	87.2	3.2	9.6	5,540
Clark's Harbour	86.2	13.8	91.3	4.4	4.3	345
Lockeport	81.7	18.3	95.2	3.2	1.6	315
Shelburne	72.2	27.8	78.5	13.3	8.2	790
Barrington Municipality	89.5	10.5	88.7	1.2	10.1	2,430
Shelburne Municipality	86.6	13.4	87.3	0.9	11.7	1,660
Yarmouth County	77.4	22.6	87.0	10.3	2.7	8,555
Yarmouth	48.8	51.1	71.8	27.8	0.4	2,675
Argyle Municipality	92.0	8.0	94.5	2.0	3.5	2,730
Yarmouth Municipality	89.2	10.8	93.3	2.5	4.1	3,140
Total Southwestern Region	**82.4**	**17.6**	**86.8**	**7.2**	**6.0**	**41,265**
Nova Scotia	71.5	28.5	77.9	16.7	5.4	273,195

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

GRAPH 5

LABOUR FORCE & EMPLOYMENT –

SOUTHWESTERN REGION & NOVA SCOTIA, 1980-1985

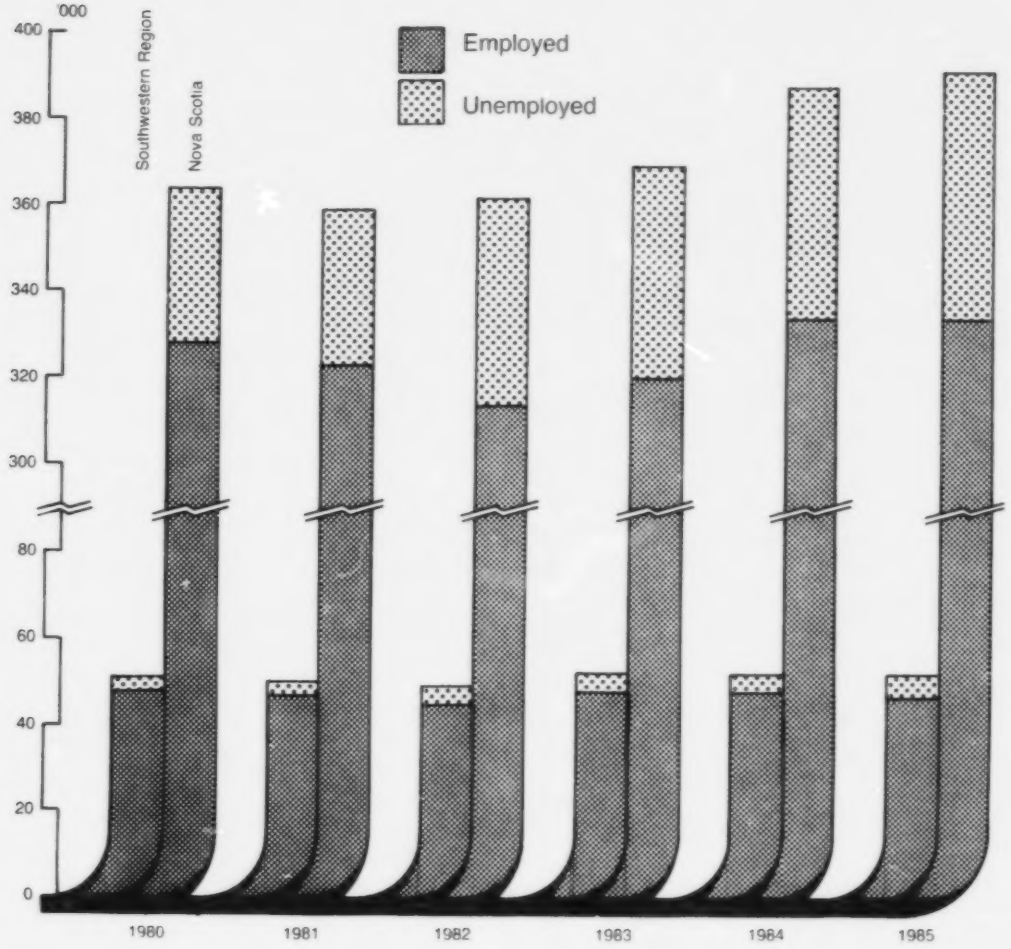

TABLE 12

LABOUR FORCE ACTIVITY
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

	Population 15+	Labour Force	Employed	Unemployment Rate[1]		Participation Rate[2]	
				Male	Female	Male	Female
Digby County	16,690	8,980	7,930	9.7	14.9	67.5	40.3
Digby	1,935	1,045	935	11.4	9.6	61.0	48.4
Clare Municipality	7,410	3,950	3,525	9.0	14.4	67.0	39.5
Digby Municipality	7,325	3,960	3,455	10.3	17.3	69.6	38.3
Indian Reserves	20	20	15	50.0	--	100.0	100.0
Lunenburg County	35,590	19,945	18,460	6.1	10.0	73.4	38.6
Bridgewater	5,265	3,185	2,975	3.6	11.3	78.3	44.6
Lunenburg	2,365	1,215	1,175	1.3	6.7	69.9	35.4
Mahone Bay	950	545	510	4.7	6.7	70.3	45.5
Chester Municipality	7,920	4,455	4,000	9.6	11.4	71.4	40.6
Lunenburg Municipality	19,095	10,545	9,800	5.8	9.6	73.6	36.1
Queens County	10,165	5,355	4,905	6.0	12.8	69.3	35.6
Liverpool	2,620	1,380	1,310	4.0	7.0	69.6	36.9
Sub. A	2,520	1,430	1,300	7.7	13.0	76.4	36.8
Sub. B	5,025	2,535	2,290	5.8	17.0	65.8	34.0
Shelburne County	12,995	7,100	6,405	6.6	16.2	72.0	37.0
Clark's Harbour	795	385	340	5.8	20.0	68.4	30.1
Lockeport	665	290	260	7.7	10.5	59.1	28.4
Shelburne	1,825	1,065	1,000	2.3	11.9	75.0	43.5
Barrington Municipality	5,760	3,235	2,900	6.1	19.6	74.6	36.6
Shelburne Municipality	3,950	2,135	1,900	9.3	13.7	69.6	37.8
Yarmouth County	20,015	10,895	9,805	7.7	13.5	67.9	41.7
Yarmouth	5,805	3,150	2,795	8.3	14.4	67.9	42.8
Yarmouth Municipality	7,345	4,105	3,810	5.6	9.5	68.1	43.9
Argyle	6,850	3,635	3,195	9.3	16.7	67.6	38.5
Total Southwestern Region	**95,455**	**52,275**	**47,505**	**7.1**	**12.8**	**70.6**	**39.0**
Nova Scotia	641,490	378,500	340,760	8.7	11.9	73.2	45.3

[1]Unemployed as a percent of labour force

[2]Labour force as a percent of population 15+

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

GRAPH 6

UNEMPLOYMENT & PARTICIPATION RATES –
SOUTHWESTERN REGION & NOVA SCOTIA, 1980 – 1985

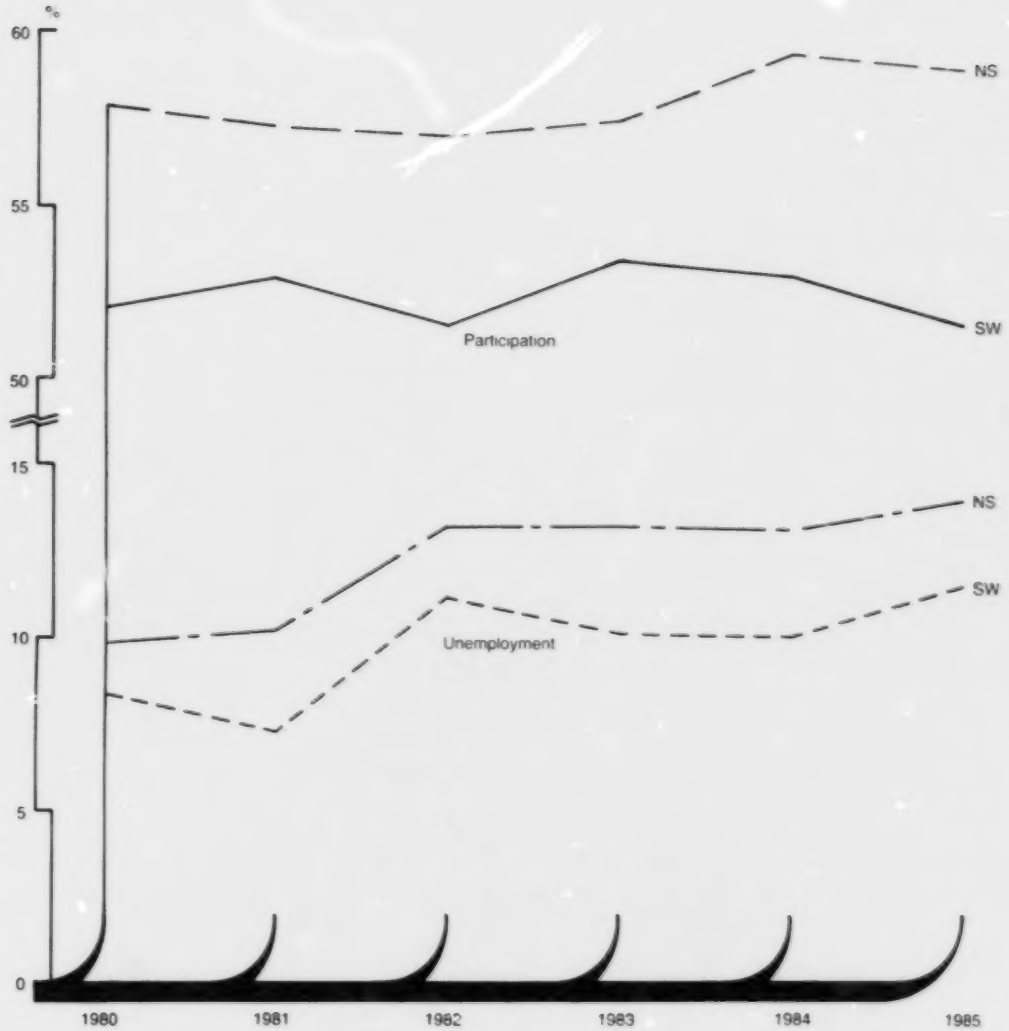

TABLE 13

LABOUR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1980 - 1985

	Population 15 Years & Over	Labour Force	Employed	Unemployed	Participation Rate	Unemployment Rate
			('000)		%	
Southwestern Region						
1980	98	51	47	4	52.1	8.3
1981	95	50	46	4	52.9	7.3
1982	95	49	44	5	51.5	11.1
1983	97	52	47	5	53.4	10.1
1984	98	52	47	5	52.9	10.0
1985	101	52	46	6	51.5	11.4
Nova Scotia						
1980	627	363	328	36	57.9	9.8
1981	627	359	322	36	57.3	10.2
1982	633	361	313	47	57.0	13.2
1983	643	369	320	49	57.4	13.2
1984	653	387	337	51	59.3	13.1
1985	664	391	337	54	58.8	13.8

Source: Statistics Canada, Cat. 71-001
The Labour Force Survey

TABLE 14

LABOUR FORCE 15 YEARS AND OVER, BY SEX AND LEVEL OF SCHOOLING
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

		Total Labour Force	No Certificate or Diploma Less than Grade 9	No Certificate or Diploma Grades 9-13	High School Certificate or Diploma	Trades, University or other Non-Univ. Certificate or Diploma	University Degree
Digby County	- Total	8,980	2,345	2,900	985	2,120	630
	Male	5,595	1,805	1,690	515	1,190	400
	Female	3,380	545	1,205	470	930	235
Lunenburg County	- Total	19,945	4,490	5,900	2,385	5,815	1,345
	Male	13,065	3,665	3,660	1,480	3,455	805
	Female	6,875	820	2,245	900	2,360	545
Queens County	- Total	5,355	1,510	1,635	605	1,330	275
	Male	3,560	1,195	1,030	360	790	190
	Female	1,790	310	605	240	540	85
Shelburne County	- Total	7,100	2,000	2,460	745	1,550	340
	Male	4,715	1,595	1,480	400	995	250
	Female	2,380	405	975	350	555	90
Yarmouth County	- Total	10,895	2,405	3,385	1,330	3,105	675
	Male	6,605	1,860	2,015	665	1,590	475
	Female	4,290	540	1,365	665	1,515	205
Total Southwestern Region	- Total	52,275	12,750	16,280	6,050	13,920	3,265
	Male	33,540	10,120	9,875	3,420	8,020	2,120
	Female	18,715	2,620	6,395	2,625	5,900	1,160
Nova Scotia	- Total	378,495	51,970	106,965	33,125	146,265	40,170
	Male	230,370	40,020	64,400	17,645	83,430	24,880
	Female	148,130	11,950	42,565	15,480	62,845	15,295

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 15

LABOUR FORCE[1], 15 YEARS AND OVER, BY SEX, SHOWING INDUSTRY DIVISIONS
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

		Agriculture	Forestry	Fishing & Trapping	Mines, Quarries & Oil Wells	Manufacturing	Construction
Digby County	- Male	380	125	710	5	1,320	620
	- Female	120	0	35	0	670	35
Lunenburg County	- Male	450	370	670	35	4,625	1,510
	- Female	100	15	15	0	1,405	100
Queens County	- Male	60	110	225	15	1,520	260
	- Female	20	10	10	0	325	20
Shelburne County	- Male	25	35	1,160	5	1,285	285
	- Female	5	0	55	0	635	15
Yarmouth County	- Male	155	85	940	20	1,450	605
	- Female	40	30	65	0	775	50
Total Southwestern Region	- Male	1,070	725	3,705	80	10,200	3,280
	- Female	285	55	160	0	3,810	220

		Transportation, Communication & Other Utilities	Trade	Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	Community, Business & Personal Services	Public Administration & Defence	Total Labour Force
Digby County	- Male	435	790	30	770	390	5,565
	- Female	75	520	150	1,560	150	3,330
Lunenburg County	- Male	895	2,000	220	1,375	860	13,015
	- Female	155	1,605	335	2,690	365	6,790
Queens County	- Male	330	450	65	320	185	3,555
	- Female	45	440	65	700	100	1,740
Shelburne County	- Male	165	725	55	460	510	4,715
	- Female	80	520	100	785	150	2,350
Yarmouth County	- Male	600	1,285	140	845	440	6,565
	- Female	160	855	215	1,810	225	4,200
Total Southwestern Region	- Male	2,425	5,250	510	3,770	2,385	33,415
	- Female	515	3,940	865	7,545	990	18,410

[1] By place of residence excludes persons looking for work who last worked prior to January 1, 1980, and who never worked.
Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 16

EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE [1] BY OCCUPATION GROUPS
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County	Total Southwestern Region
Managerial, Administrative & Related	500	1,060	255	300	740	2,855
Natural Sciences, Engineering & Math	50	405	135	65	115	770
Occupations in Social Sciences & Related	100	190	45	60	145	540
Occupations in Religion	45	70	20	25	45	205
Teaching & Related Occupations	485	680	145	220	375	1,905
Occupations in Medicine & Health	385	740	195	200	575	2,095
Artistic, Literary, Recreational & Related	70	180	55	55	90	450
Clerical & Related	910	2,440	650	680	1,465	6,145
Sales Occupations	590	1,845	485	430	970	4,320
Service Occupations	980	1,910	540	905	1,325	5,660
Farming, Horticulture, & Animal Husbandry	375	655	100	50	215	1,395
Fishing, Hunting, Trapping & Related	890	1,200	315	1,425	1,140	4,970
Forestry & Logging	160	340	100	50	105	755
Mining & Quarrying	5	25	5	5	10	50
Processing Occupations	1,285	2,080	700	1,280	1,195	6,540
Machining & Related Occupations	75	385	135	85	70	750
Product Fabricating, Assembly & Repairing	445	2,145	375	305	545	3,815
Construction Trades	855	1,715	380	375	700	4,025
Transport Equipment Operating	330	915	255	275	480	2,255
Materials Handling & Related	150	335	210	90	165	950
Other Crafts & Equipment Operating	55	220	100	80	150	605
Occupations not Elsewhere Classified	135	275	100	100	135	765
Total Experienced Labour Force[1]	**8,890**	**19,800**	**5,295**	**7,060**	**10,765**	**51,810**

[1] Excludes persons looking for work who last worked prior to January 1, 1980, or who never worked.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

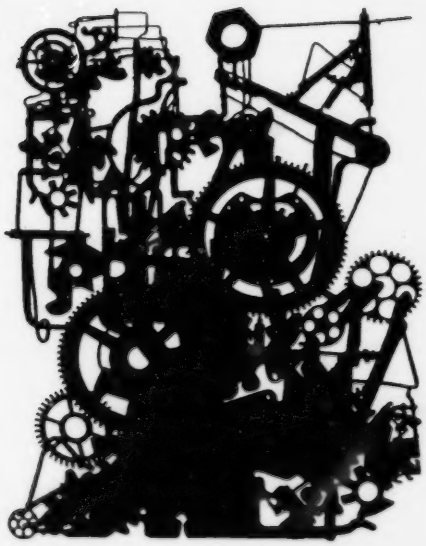

TABLE 17

PRINCIPAL FARM CENSUS DATA
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1976 AND 1981

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County	Total Southwestern Region
Farm Population						
1976	338	696	109	35	292	1,470
1981	761	1,430	184	108	470	2,953
% of Total Population Living on Farms						
1976	1.6	1.6	0.8	0.2	1.2	1.2
1981	3.5	3.1	1.4	0.6	1.8	2.4
Farm Operators by Age (1981)						
Under 25 years	6	10	1	1	1	19
25 - 34 years	33	52	10	8	31	134
35 - 44 years	46	83	14	9	31	183
45 - 54 years	59	106	16	8	28	217
55 - 59 years	20	52	8	3	13	96
60 - 64 years	15	48	6	1	13	83
65 years of age and over	24	55	10	6	26	121
Total Number of Farms						
1976	95	201	31	10	85	422
1981	203	406	65	36	143	853
Farms with Sales of $2,500 +						
1976	65	126	17	3	65	276
1981	116	184	24	13	70	407
Size of Farms (1981)						
1 - 69 acres	85	129	23	24	66	327
70 - 129 acres	39	84	7	4	29	163
130 - 179 acres	18	45	3	1	19	86
180 - 239 acres	13	53	5	1	8	80
240 - 399 acres	27	65	11	3	12	118
400 - 559 acres	14	17	6	2	5	44
560 - 759 acres	4	10	3	1	2	20
760 + acres	3	3	7	0	2	15
Total Area of Farms						
1976	19,725	50,794	10,579	2,154	16,792	100,044
1981	31,999	66,797	19,061	3,900	18,626	140,383
Acres of Improved Land (1981)	8,165	15,765	3,349	367	6,717	34,363
Under Crops	2,677	9,375	1,890	135	3,156	17,283
Improved Pasture	2,506	4,535	532	122	2,434	10,129
Summer Fallow	203	260	471	0	39	973
Other	2,779	1,595	456	60	1,088	5,978
Acres of Unimproved Land (1981)	23,835	51,039	15,712	3,594	11,909	106,089
Woodland	19,043	41,716	13,844	1,958	9,188	85,749
Other Unimproved	4,792	9,323	1,868	1,576	2,721	20,280
Average Size of Farms - acres	158	164	293	108	130	171
Improved Land as a % of Total Farm Land	25.5	23.6	17.6	9.4	30.1	24.5

Note: In 1981, a Census farm is defined as an agricultural holding with sales of agricultural products during the year 1980 of $250 or more.

For 1976, a Census farm is defined as an agricultural holding of one acre or more with sales of agricultural products during the year 1985 of $1,200 or more.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 18

CENSUS FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS AND PRODUCT TYPE
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1976 AND 1981

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County	Total Southwestern Region
Total number of farms						
1976*	95	201	31	10	85	422
1981*	203	406	65	36	143	853
No. of farms by value of agricultural products sold in previous year (1981)						
$250,000 and over	14	6	1	0	2	23
$100,000 - $249,999	14	8	0	0	5	27
$ 50,000 - $ 99,999	7	24	1	1	8	41
$ 25,000 - $ 49,999	17	12	1	0	12	42
$ 10,000 - $ 24,999	17	32	5	3	8	65
$ 5,000 - $ 9,999	21	41	9	1	18	90
$ 2,500 - $ 4,999	26	61	7	8	17	119
Under $2,500	87	222	41	23	73	446
No. of Census farms with sales of $2,500 + by product type (1981)						
Dairy	2	34	2	0	25	63
Cattle, hogs, sheep (excluding dairy farms)	52	98	15	2	19	186
Poultry	3	14	0	0	0	17
Wheat	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smallgrains (excluding wheat)	1	0	1	0	0	2
Field crops, other than smallgrains	1	6	2	0	0	9
Fruits & vegetables	3	12	0	2	7	24
Miscellaneous specialty	50	9	3	8	14	68
Mixed	4	11	1	1	5	22
Livestock combination	1	7	0	0	3	11
Field crops combination	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other combinations	3	4	1	1	2	11
Total	116	184	24	13	70	407

*Note: See Table 17 for definition of Census farms in 1976 and 1981.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada

TABLE 19

LANDED VALUE AND WEIGHT OF SEA FISHERIES & NO. OF FISHERMEN
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1983 - 1985

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County	Total Southwestern Region
Value ($000)						
1983	37,734	48,608	11,163	48,874	37,350	183,729
1984	34,217	37,589	11,525	54,235	37,309	174,875
1985	38,853	52,577	11,512	68,975	41,790	213,707
% of N.S. Total						
1983	13.6	17.6	4.0	17.7	13.5	66.5
1984	12.9	14.2	4.3	20.4	14.1	65.9
1985	12.4	16.8	3.7	22.1	13.4	68.3
Weight (tonnes)						
1983	53,081	76,210	12,912	68,293	59,737	270,233
1984	51,794	60,049	11,709	64,534	50,556	238,642
1985	66,038	73,342	12,791	72,993	65,628	290,792
% of N.S. Total						
1983	12.1	17.4	3.0	15.6	13.7	61.8
1984	12.9	14.9	2.9	16.0	12.6	59.2
1985	14.3	15.9	2.8	15.8	14.2	63.0
No. of fishermen by % of income derived from fishery						
0 - 25%	185	410	191	372	394	1,552
26 - 75%	106	117	43	167	232	665
76 - 100%	834	1,144	298	1,433	1,038	4,747
Total No. of Fishermen						
1985	1,125	1,671	532	1,972	1,664	6,964
% of N.S. Total						
1985	8.1	12.0	3.8	14.1	11.9	49.9

Source: Fisheries & Oceans Canada

GRAPH 7

LANDED VALUE OF SEA FISHERIES — SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1983-1985

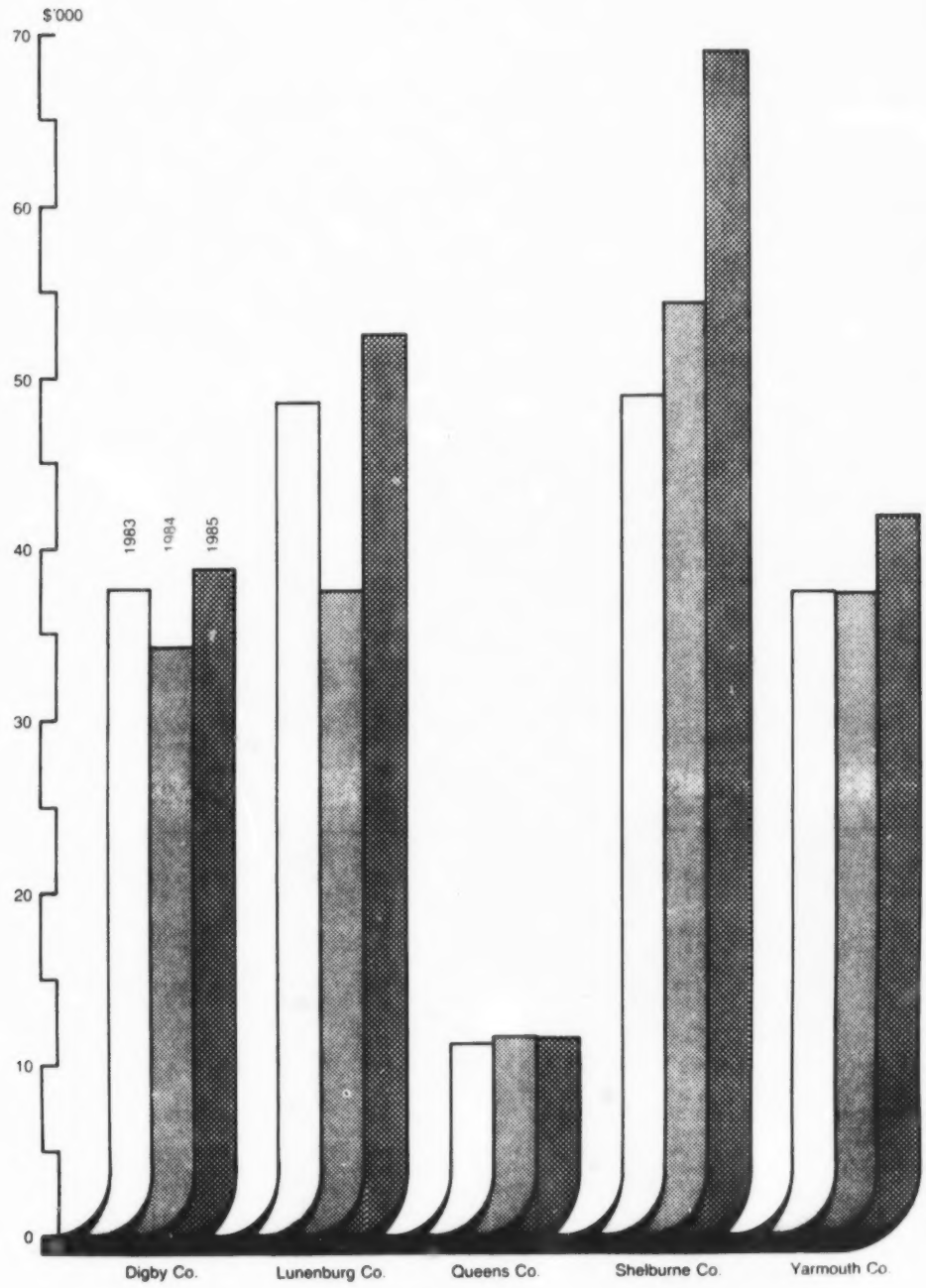

TABLE 20

AREA OF LAND CLASSES
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1977 and 1979 - 1980

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County	Total Southwestern Region
% of Total County Area						
Forest Land						
Productive Forest:						
1. Softwood	43.5	37.3	28.4	33.2	25.7	33.9
2. Mixed Wood	24.4	22.8	17.3	25.4	24.1	22.7
3. Hardwood	12.9	14.1	12.5	11.3	14.9	13.1
Total Forested Land	80.8	74.2	58.2	69.9	64.7	69.7
Non-Forested Land	12.4	12.3	15.0	20.8	20.8	16.0
Water and Flowage	6.8	13.5	26.8	9.3	14.5	14.3
Total Area of County						
Hectares	266,690	312,150	276,720	258,960	232,020	1,346,540

Source: Nova Scotia Department of Lands and Forests

TABLE 21

FOREST PRODUCTION STATISTICS
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1981 - 1985

		Sawn Lumber (M. fbm.)					Pulpwood (M^3 - solid wood)				
		1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Digby County	(S)	11,184	9,365	10,878	9,566	9,505	88,138	78,066	18,805	42,494	57,403
	(H)	121	103	135	74	57	722	0	0	0	0
Lunenburg County	(S)	13,640	11,042	11,421	15,598	13,327	66,498	84,617	1,341	88,501	107,088
	(H)	1,411	654	565	905	995	17,396	10,997	14,284	24,906	9,777
Queens County	(S)	6,911	7,890	11,306	13,843	10,516	77,574	62,977	21,861	44,264	66,194
	(H)	303	566	416	154	329	16,421	9,899	31,147	27,370	8,591
Shelburne County	(S)	3,856	6,298	5,543	5,794	3,025	810	1,132	2,882	6,310	2,778
	(H)	106	43	91	61	116	0	0	5,091	1,731	8,001
Yarmouth County	(S)	2,503	2,135	2,206	2,786	3,376	10,209	11,621	4,563	18,093	15,773
	(H)	41	35	52	59	28	0	0	0	0	0
Total Southwestern Region	(S)	38,094	36,730	47,587	47,587	39,749	243,229	238,413	49,457	199,662	249,236
	(H)	1,982	1,401	1,259	1,253	1,525	34,539	20,896	50,522	54,007	26,369
	Total	40,076	38,131	48,846	48,840	41,274	277,768	259,309	99,979	253,669	275,605
% of Nova Scotia	(S)	23.6	26.0	28.3	25.6	22.5	9.7	13.0	4.5	10.3	12.4
	(H)	19.9	16.1	18.4	20.1	20.7	12.0	17.3	26.6	16.1	14.6
	Total	23.4	25.4	27.9	25.5	22.4	9.9	13.3	7.8	11.2	12.6

S - Softwood
H - Hardwood

Source: Nova Scotia Forest Products Directory

TABLE 22

FOREST PRODUCTION STATISTICS - (In Common Measure)
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1984 AND 1985

	Digby County		Lunenburg County		Queens County		Shelburne County		Yarmouth County		Total Southwestern Region		% of Nova Scotia	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
Lumber (M. fbm.)	9,640	9,562	16,503	14,322	13,997	10,845	5,855	3,141	2,845	3,404	48,840	41,274	25.5	22.4
Boxwood (M. fbm.)	1,311	893	200	150	1,145	0	8	17	300	181	2,964	1,241	90.1	70.3
Railway Ties (M. fbm.)	77	23	14	6	0	0	0	18	0	0	91	47	5.1	3.7
Mine Packs (M. fbm.)	0	0	12	12	0	0	0	18	0	0	12	30	0.5	0.7
Laths (M's)	1,904	2,344	116	492	2,887	2,350	235	483	1,566	1,326	6,708	6,995	88.7	86.3
Shingles (Squares)	20	10	209	181	36	40	0	0	156	78	421	309	69.7	62.9
Staves & Headings (M. fbm.)	0	0	12	16	0	0	75	40	0	0	87	56	100.0	100.0
Residue Chips (M^3 Stacked)	49,467	2,659	26,604	9,343	72,986	46,741	18,427	0	2,900	272	170,384	59,015	29.6	18.7
Whole Tree Chips (M^3 Stacked)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	--
Pulpwood - Rough (M^3 Stacked)	69,735	94,197	186,107	191,740	117,554	122,502	13,197	17,690	29,692	25,883	416,285	452,012	11.2	12.7
Pit Props - Rough (M^3 Stacked)	0	0	0	41	34	0	22	0	0	0	56	41	1.2	2.0

Source: Nova Scotia Forest Products Directory

TABLE 23

PRINCIPAL STATISTICS FOR MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1980 - 1983

	Year	Number of Establishments	Production and Related Workers				Cost of Fuel & Electricity ($'000)	Cost of Materials & Supplies ($'000)	Value of Shipments of of Goods of Own Manufacture ($'000)	Value Added Manufacturing Activity ($'000)
			Male	Female	Person-Hours Paid ($'000)	Wages ($'000)				
Digby County	1980	51	509	223	1,609	8,143	938	51,635	71,301	18,811
	1981	47	500	201	1,442	8,038	1,126	54,599	71,618	16,[illegible]
	1982	40	467	249	1,468	8,258	1,313	52,718	70,216	16,844
	1983	37	494	272	1,614	9,793	1,725	53,046	71,832	16,449
Lunenburg County	1980	63	2,730	676	7,485	55,044	10,066	152,190	266,623	108,955
	1981	62	2,660	675	7,063	57,946	10,075	155,400	292,575	136,168
	1982	64	2,369	672	6,164	54,393	8,773	143,132	285,295	131,553
	1983	61	2,219	544	5,730	55,139	11,559	145,124	285,094	128,469
Queens County	1980	13	792	96	2,032	18,914	8,312	38,369	107,720	62,043
	1981	14	860	68	2,162	20,470	10,071	43,965	123,856	70,423
	1982	13	777	50	1,878	20,182	11,020	38,199	119,144	69,012
	1983	13	734	43	1,682	20,681	11,154	31,408	98,625	55,825
Shelburne County	1980	55	772	332	2,399	13,781	1,474	56,811	80,241	23,100
	1981	57	761	299	2,213	14,273	1,800	59,601	83,907	23,917
	1982	56	655	296	1,985	13,536	2,258	60,561	86,555	24,050
	1983	60	775	336	2,249	16,715	3,026	69,021	101,815	29,983
Yarmouth County	1980	49	702	468	2,419	12,857	1,837	38,747	61,426	23,014
	1981	49	677	431	2,180	12,604	2,247	42,463	69,639	25,885
	1982	46	665	417	2,120	13,282	2,345	40,799	67,539	23,632
	1983	54	671	398	2,202	14,942	2,748	43,168	79,966	28,628
Total Southwestern Region	1980	231	5,505	1,795	15,944	108,739	22,627	337,753	587,311	235,923
	1981	229	5,458	1,674	15,060	113,330	25,319	356,028	641,595	272,544
	1982	219	4,933	1,684	13,615	109,651	25,709	335,408	628,749	265,091
	1983	225	4,893	1,593	13,477	117,270	30,212	343,767	637,332	259,334
Southwestern Region as a % of Nova Scotia	1980	28.3	24.1	29.2	25.5	25.2	14.6	15.9	17.0	19.7
	1981	28.1	24.2	27.5	24.8	24.1	12.8	14.8	16.8	20.7
	1982	28.0	25.3	30.6	26.5	24.9	13.3	14.9	17.4	23.6
	1983	28.0	25.6	29.1	26.4	25.1	14.2	14.0	16.4	21.0

Source: Statistics Canada, 31-209

GRAPH 8

VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED – SOUTHWESTERN REGION, 1982 – 1985

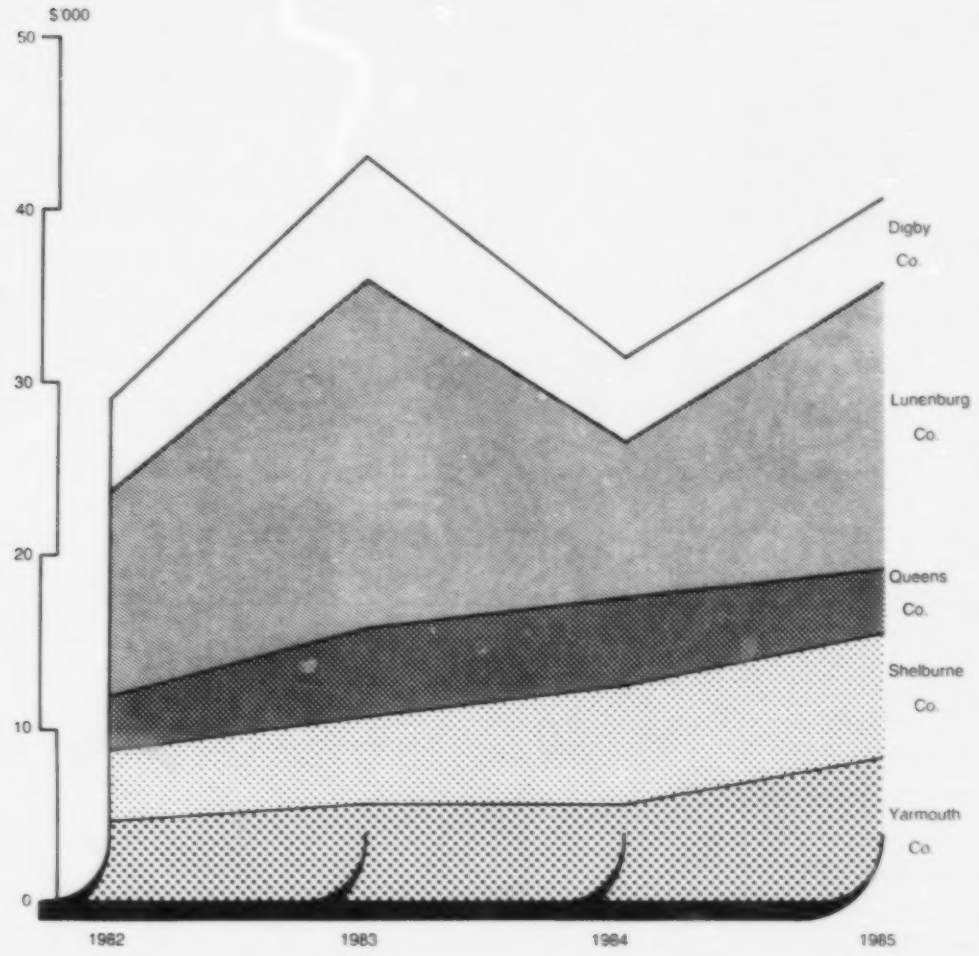

TABLE 24

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED
SOUTHWESTERN REGION AND NOVA SCOTIA, 1982 - 1985

	Number of Dwelling Units			Value of Construction				
	Single & Double Dwellings	Other	Total	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional & Government	Total
	(units)			($'000)				
1982								
Digby County	51	15	66	3,979	839	516	0	5,354
Lunenburg County	120	20	140	9,441	1,292	886	150	11,769
Queens County	52	24	76	2,589	149	144	255	3,137
Shelburne County	65	4	69	3,095	61	750	110	4,036
Yarmouth County	106	10	116	3,707	164	344	521	4,736
Total Southwestern Region	**394**	**73**	**467**	**22,811**	**2,505**	**2,640**	**1,036**	**29,032**
Nova Scotia	2,882	916	3,798	181,371	18,555	58,675	65,266	323,867
1983								
Digby County	82	15	97	5,128	281	1,252	468	7,129
Lunenburg County	177	4	181	16,277	412	1,510	1,925	20,124
Queens County	61	20	81	2,906	621	1,491	98	5,116
Shelburne County	97	12	109	4,262	216	390	165	5,033
Yarmouth County	122	20	142	5,060	195	245	196	5,696
Total Southwestern Region	**539**	**71**	**610**	**33,633**	**1,725**	**4,888**	**2,852**	**43,098**
Nova Scotia	4,564	1,459	6,023	320,624	17,347	74,764	56,516	469,251
1984								
Digby County	47	28	75	3,939	6	724	215	4,884
Lunenburg County	109	13	122	7,960	369	398	270	8,997
Queens County	60	36	96	3,126	108	1,622	218	5,074
Shelburne County	59	27	86	3,787	230	2,292	486	6,795
Yarmouth County	96	20	116	4,304	690	333	137	5,686
Total Southwestern Region	**371**	**124**	**495**	**23,116**	**1,403**	**5,371**	**1,346**	**31,436**
Nova Scotia	4,388	1,578	5,966	334,179	2,454	146,947	58,897	561,477
1985								
Digby County	50	12	62	3,379	0	1,161	351	4,891
Lunenburg County	161	45	206	13,983	508	1,699	449	16,639
Queens County	32	33	65	1,985	112	1,103	493	3,693
Shelburne County	100	9	109	5,346	393	965	552	7,256
Yarmouth County	138	18	156	7,341	214	490	171	8,216
Total Southwestern Region	**481**	**117**	**598**	**32,034**	**1,227**	**5,418**	**2,016**	**40,695**
Nova Scotia	5,153	3,145	8,298	441,497	22,786	142,671	60,380	667,834

Source: Statistics Canada, 64-203

FACTS AND FIGURES
SOUTHWESTERN REGION

MUNICIPALITIES TAX RATES, AREA AND DENSITY

	1986 Municipal Tax Rates (per $100. of assessment)		Area and Density	
	Residential	Commercial	Land Area (Sq. Km.)	Population Density per Sq. Km. - 1981
Digby	$1.72	$3.20	2.9	882.1
Municipality of Clare	1.00	1.53	845.8	11.3
Municipality of Digby	1.16	1.60	1,622.8	5.9
Bridgewater	1.45	2.42	13.3	501.1
Lunenburg	2.10	3.62	4.0	746.0
Mahone Bay	1.85	2.05	3.0	409.3
Municipality of Chester	.72	1.30	1,105.4	9.3
Municipality of Lunenburg	.89	1.67	1,750.6	14.0
Liverpool	1.84	3.00	3.2	1,019.8
Municipality of Queens	.64	1.31	2,359.6	1.1
Clark's Harbour	1.47	2.24	3.2	326.9
Lockeport	1.35	2.54	2.9	323.7
Shelburne	1.84	2.84	8.1	283.3
Municipality of Barrington	.88	1.38	619.7	12.4
Municipality of Shelburne	1.10	1.48	1,722.6	3.1
Yarmouth	1.45	2.78	11.1	671.0
Municipality of Argyle	.78	1.60	1,470.9	6.1
Municipality of Yarmouth	.88	1.97	588.3	15.7

DEMOGRAPHICS (% of total population)

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County
Religion - 1981					
Roman Catholic	55.6	9.3	11.0	7.5	54.4
United Church	4.8	16.9	26.3	21.2	6.7
Anglican	5.2	30.1	26.1	17.1	4.1
Other Protestant	29.0	36.9	32.5	48.6	30.8
Other	5.4	6.8	4.1	5.6	4.0
Ethnic Groups - 1981					
British Isles	47.9	48.3	69.2	83.9	53.2
French	40.5	4.6	3.1	2.4	36.2
Other single origins	4.2	36.8	18.8	6.7	2.9
Multiple origins	7.4	10.3	8.9	7.0	7.7
Mother Tongue - 1981					
English	60.3	96.7	98.2	97.5	70.1
French	2.4	--	--	--	29.5
Other	37.3	3.3	1.8	2.5	0.4

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES (1985-86)

	Digby County	Lunenburg County	Queens County	Shelburne County	Yarmouth County
Schools - Elementary & Secondary					
- Number	15	27	11	13	16
- Teachers	262	507	159	196	307
- Enrollment	4,083	8,537	2,648	3,392	5,076

Vocational Schools		Teachers	Enrollment
Lunenburg County	Lunenburg Regional Vocational School, Bridgewater	38	356
Shelburne County	Shelburne Regional Vocational School, Shelburne	14	125
Yarmouth County	Burridge Regional Vocational School, Yarmouth	33	326

Universities/Colleges		Enrollment	
		Full Time	Part Time
Digby County	Universite Ste. Anne, Church Point	600	ø

HOSPITALS		Beds	Bassinets
Digby County	Digby General Hospital, Digby	89	9
Lunenburg County	Dawson Memorial Hospital, Bridgewater	75	12
	Fishermen's Memorial Hospital, Lunenburg	60	12
Queens County	Queens General Hospital, Liverpool	55	14
Shelburne County	Roseway Hospital, Shelburne	56	6
Yarmouth County	Yarmouth Regional Hospital, Yarmouth	167	20

LARGEST INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYERS

		Employment
Digby County	Comeau's Seafoods Ltd., Saulnierville	190
	Seacrest Fisheries Ltd., Comeauville	180
	Comeau & Saulnier Ltd., Comeauville	150
	Connors Brothers Ltd., Weymouth North	140
	Maritime Sealite Limited, Digby	135
	D. B. Kenney Fisheries Ltd., Freeport	115
	Alan Fisheries Limited, Digby	100
	Clare Fisheries Limited, Saulnierville	100
	I. Deveau Fisheries Ltd., Meteghan	100
	Small Bros. (1984) Ltd., Tiverton	100
Lunenburg County	National Sea Products Ltd., Lunenburg	925
	Canexel Inc., East River	322
	Acadia Road Contractors Ltd., Bridgewater	150
	ABCO Plastics Limited, Mahone Bay	140
Queens County	Bowater Mersey Paper Company Limited, Brooklyn	700
	C.W. McLeod Fisheries Limited, Port Mouton	150
	Mersey Seafoods Ltd., Liverpool	125
	Jagman of Nova Scotia Ltd., Liverpool	100
Shelburne County	Continental Seafoods Ltd., Shelburne	250
	Connors Brothers Ltd., Clark's Harbour	200
	Sable Fish Packers Ltd., South Side	200
	Shelburne Marine Limited, Shelburne	100

TRANSPORTATION

Roads

Highways from all points in the United States and Canada join the Trans Canada Highway from New Brunswick into Nova Scotia.

Administration of public highways in Nova Scotia is a provincial government function performed by the Department of Transportation. Its responsibilities include the construction and maintenance of Nova Scotia's more than 25,800 km (16,035 mi.) of roads and several local ferry operations.

The Department classified its roads as follows:

Freeway: A multi-lane, divided highway designed to carry large volumes of traffic at high speeds under free-flow conditions. There is full control of access on a freeway, with access at interchanges only. Freeways provide service within urban areas and also connect major centres and areas of major economic importance within the province or to adjacent provinces or states.

Arterial: A highway, two lane or multi-lane, usually with limited access designed to carry significant volumes of traffic at high speeds within urban areas or between major economic areas and points of entry.

Collector: Highways, which give equal importance to traffic and land service functions are referred to as collectors. They form an integrated network throughout developed areas, and provide road access to resource and resort areas, industrial centres, smaller towns and villages. Generally, they collect traffic from local roads and feed it to arterials and freeways, or vice versa. Access may be regulated.

Local: Highways that have land access as their primary function. Access points may be frequent, both to adjacent land and at street intersections. Generally, traffic volumes are significantly lower than for other classifications.

HIGHWAYS - 1986

	Paved				
	Arterial	Collector	Local	Unpaved	Total
			(kilometres)		
Digby County	118.0	143.6	260.1	630.6	1,152.3
Lunenburg County	183.5	345.2	398.7	798.0	1,725.4
Queens County	116.8	91.5	97.6	381.5	687.4
Shelburne County	70.6	137.5	186.2	419.7	814.0
Yarmouth County	70.9	184.0	218.9	548.9	1,022.7
Total Southwestern Region	**559.8**	**901.8**	**1,161.5**	**2,778.7**	**5,401.8**

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS - 1985

	Passenger Automobiles	Trucks & Buses	Motorcycles, Trailers & Other	Total
		(number)		
Digby County	7,597	4,118	3,455	15,170
Lunenburg County	20,254	7,742	8,517	36,513
Queens County	5,396	2,432	2,110	9,938
Shelburne County	6,344	3,389	1,890	11,623
Yarmouth County	9,960	4,420	4,044	18,424
Total Southwestern Region	**49,551**	**22,101**	**20,016**	**91,668**

Rail

Rail transportation is often the shippers most cost effective choice for the bulk transportation and distribution of goods. There are over 1,100 km (700 mi.) of track in Nova Scotia. Canadian National Railways (CN) offers freight services on a regular basis on some 800 km (500 mi.) of this system providing intermodal and carload services to the rest of Canada. They provide schedules freight services from Halifax to Truro and Moncton, from Truro to Sydney. The Dominion Atlantic Railways (DAR) runs trains between Halifax and Yarmouth via Kentville. Service is provided three times a week from Kentville to Halifax and as required from Yarmouth to Kentville. In addition, CN has a branch line providing service three times a week to Bridgewater and as required to the end of the line at Liverpool.

VIA Rail Canada provides intercity rail passenger service in Nova Scotia. Rail diesel cars travel daily through the region between Yarmouth and Halifax via the Annapolis Valley (Kentville) connecting with the Atlantic Transcontinental in Halifax. The Atlantic is a full service train operating on a daily basis between Halifax and Montreal, connecting with services to Toronto and western Canada.

Air

Commercial air services are available at Halifax International Airport and also at Yarmouth. There is a municipally owned local airport at Digby, Digby County and Liverpool, Queens County.

Halifax International, which ranks eighth among Canadian airports in numbers of arriving and departing passengers, is served by Air Canada, Canadian Pacific Air Lines, Air Atlantic, Air Nova, Air Bras d'Or and Eastern Express. There are daily scheduled flights to and from all major centres within the Atlantic Provinces, as well as Montreal, Ottawa, and Toronto, with connections and/or through service to western Canada and the United States. Also, there are regular scheduled service from Halifax to Boston, New York, London and Amsterdam.

Yarmouth Airport, served by Air Canada, provides regional service, with national and international connections through Halifax.

AIRPORTS

Airport Location	Runway Number	Runway Size	Runway Surface
Halifax	06-24	2682m x 61m	Asphalt/Concrete
	15-33	2347m x 61m	Asphalt
Yarmouth	06-24	1829m x 46m	Asphalt
	15-33	1524m x 46m	Asphalt
Digby	06-24	914m x 23m	Asphalt
Liverpool	07-25	914m x 23m	Asphalt

Bus

Intercity Public Transportation Services include:

Acadian Lines	Halifax - Yarmouth via Annapolis Valley
MacKenzie Bus Line	Halifax - Yarmouth via South Shore

Urban Transit Systems include:

Yarmouth - Argyle Transit Authority	Serves Yarmouth, the District of Argyle and County of Yarmouth

Marine

Being a coastal province, Nova Scotia has always enjoyed the benefits of numerous sheltered ports and harbours.

Facilities within Southwestern Region include:

Ports

Digby County

Digby

Mobile cranes and leased freight shed available.

Accommodation:

Government wharf, Main Pier 102.4 m long and 6.1 m d at LW. Freight shed under lease, and electricity. The spur pier is 101.5 m long with a depth of 5.2 m at LW.

Meteghan

Mobile cranes available.

Accommodation:

There is one Government wharf 305.8 m long, depth at LW 4.85 m. Anchorage in depth of 11 m to 14.6 m, 1.6 km off wharf.

Weymouth

Mobile cranes available.

Accommodation:

Depth at entrance, 7.62 m in dredged eastern channel, OT and 4.27 m in western channel. Depth in harbour, 7.92 m. Maximum safe draft, 6.70 m. One wharf 85.34 m long, depth alongside 7.92 m OT

Lunenburg County

Bridgewater

Mobile crane and some storage facilities available.

Accommodation:

Government (Railway) Wharf (with connected pier), berthing length 327.1 m, depth alongside 6.1 m, railroad track. There are no sheds or handling facilities at either wharf.

Chester

LaHave

Year-round navigation; portable cranes available.

Accommodation:

Good anchorage. One private wharf depth alongside 6.10 - 6.70 m R of T, 2.06 m ST, 1.60 m NT. Ships up to 76.19 m length can be berthed. Stores available; water from pipelines on wharves.

Lunenburg

Year-round port; derrick and portable cranes available.

Accommodation:

Good anchorage in harbour. Nine principal wharves, each with approx. 91.43 m berthing length; 4.57 m depth alongside. Rail spurs on all wharves, water mains and sheds for fish, salt, coal and general freight; cold storage.

Mahone Bay

Queens County

Liverpool

Mobile crane service available

Accommodation:

Public wharves: Government Wharf, 112.8 m length with 3.35 m alongside LW.

Private wharves: Steel & Engine Products Ltd., Wharf, 182.9 m with 4.57 m alongside LW used for fitting out and repairing vessels. At Brooklyn: Mersey Paper Co.'s Paper Wharf, length 146.30 m with 7.92 m at LW, equipped with shed 134.10 m by 30.48 m. Mersey Paper Co.'s Coal Wharf, length 121.9 m with 7.92 m at LW equipped with electric crane with clamshell bucket.

Port Medway

Year-round navigation; portable cranes available.

Accommodation:

Government Wharf length 77.5 m, 33.5 m face, depth alongside 6.70 m LW. Vessels may load/unload at any time.

Shelburne County

Clark's Harbour

Lockeport

Portable cranes available.

Accommodation:

Two Government wharves. One is 91.43 m long with a depth of about 2.2 m alongside. The other is 48.76 m long with a depth alongside of 2.3 m. Breakwater wharf with 243.8 m berthage. Depth alongside 7.62 m HWOST.

Shelburne

Mobile cranes available.

Accommodation:

Good harbour with anchorage Channel depth 7.92 m. LWOST Government wharf, with 152.4 m of berthing space, depth alongside, 5.8 m low tide. Several other wharves, depths ranging from 3.7 m to 4.7 m. Fresh water available.

Yarmouth County

Yarmouth

Mobile cranes and some cargo facilities.

Accommodation:

Public Wharves: To the N of the Ferry Terminal is an L-shaped Government Wharf 121.9 m long with a depth of 6.7 m along its outer face. There is a dredged depth of 3.7 m on the inside of this wharf. Inside this wharf is a marginal wharf 106.7 m long, depth alongside 1.5 m, the two wharves forming a sheltered basin for small craft. The new Government Wharf is 152.4 m long, with a depth of 6.7 m. Lobster Rock public wharf to the S of the Ferry Terminal is 141 m long with a depth alongside of 6.7 m LWOST. There is 106 m of docking facility on the inside of this wharf with a depth of 5.5 m LWOST, alongside.

Private Wharves: North of the Government Wharf is Sweeney's Wharf, 182.9 m long, with a least depth of 4.3 m alongside; it has a large freight shed. The Bonda Co. Wharf has a berthing length of 91.3 m, depth alongside 3 m; equipped with hand cranes and hoists, cold storage and a flour warehouse. The Killam Bros. Wharf has a berthing length of 48.8 m, depth of 6.7 m LW; coal sheds of 1,500 t capacity available. The Parker-Eakins Wharf has a berthing length of 39.6 m, depth 4.3 m at LW; cranes, hoists and sheds available. The Brennan Wharf has a depth alongside of 6.7 m. The Irving Oil Wharf has a least depth alongside the SW face of 1.6 m. Water and provisions available.

Ferry Service

Digby County	Interprovincial	
	Digby to Saint John, New Brunswick, Marine Atlantic	
	Year-round, 72 km, 2 1/2 hours;	
	650 passengers; 159 vehicles	
	Local	
	Grand Passage Ferry; 12 vehicles	
	Petite Passage Ferry; 12 vehicles	
Lunenburg County	Local	
	LaHave Ferry; 12 vehicles	
	Tancook Ferry; passengers only	
Yarmouth County	International	
	Yarmouth to Bar Harbour, Maine, U.S.A., Marine Atlantic	
	Year-round, 160 km, 6 hours	
	1000 passengers; 250 vehicles	
	Yarmouth to Portland, Maine, U.S.A.	
	Prince of Fundy Cruise Ltd., May 1 - Oct. 31	
	320 km, 11 hours; 1,500 passengers; 250 vehicles	

COMMUNICATIONS

Newspapers		Frequency
Digby County	Digby Courier, Digby	Weekly
Lunenburg County	Bridgewater Bulletin, Bridgewater	Weekly
	Lighthouse Log, Bridgewater	Weekly
	Lunenburg County Journal, Bridgewater	Weekly
	Lunenburg Progress Enterprise, Lunenburg	Weekly
Queens County	Liverpool Advance, Liverpool	Weekly
Shelburne County	The Guardian, Clark's Harbour	Weekly
	Shelburne Coast Guard, Shelburne	Weekly
Yarmouth County	Le Courrier de la Nouvelle Ecosse, Yarmouth	Weekly
	Farm Focus, Yarmouth	Bi-Weekly
	Sou'wester, Yarmouth	Bi-Weekly
	Vanguard, Yarmouth	Weekly

Radio Stations

Digby County	**AM**	CKDY Annapolis Valley Radio Ltd., Digby	Source Station
		CBAF-1 Digby	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CKDY Digby	Rebroadcast of CKEN Kentville
		CBAF-3 Meteghan	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CBAF-2 Weymouth	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
	FM	CBAF-18-FM Church Point	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CBAF-31-FM Digby	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CKDY-FM-1 Weymouth	Rebroadcast of CKDY Digby
Lunenburg County	**AM**	CKBW Acadia Broadcasting Co. Ltd., Bridgewater	Source Station
Queens County	**AM**	CBHD Lockeport	Rebroadcast of CBH Halifax
	FM	CBHL-FM Liverpool	Rebroadcast of CBH Halifax
		CKBW-FM-1 Liverpool	Rebroadcast of CKBW Bridgewater
Shelburne County	**AM**	CBAC Shelburne	Rebroadcast of CBH Halifax
		CBAV Sable River	Rebroadcast of CBH Halifax
		CBAP Shelburne	Rebroadcast of CBH Halifax
	FM	CJLS-FM Barrington	Rebroadcast of CJLS Yarmouth
		CKBW-FM-2 Shelburne	Rebroadcast of CKBW Bridgewater
Yarmouth County	**AM**	CJLS Radio CJLS Ltd., Yarmouth	Source Station
		CBAF-8 Quinan	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CBAF-7 Wedgeport	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CBAF-4 Yarmouth	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
	FM	CJLS-FM-1 New Tusket	Rebroadcast of CJLS Yarmouth
		CBAF-30-FM Yarmouth	Rebroadcast of CBAF Moncton
		CBHY-FM Yarmouth	Rebroadcast of CBH Halifax

TV Stations

Digby County	CHBT-7-TV Digby	Rebroadcast of CBHT Halifax
	CBHFT-6-TV Digby	Rebroadcast of CBAFT Moncton
	CBHT-10-TV Weymouth	Rebroadcast of CBHT Halifax
	CBHFT-8-TV Weymouth	Rebroadcast of CBAFT Moncton
Queens County	CBHT-9-TV Caledonia	Rebroadcast of CBHT Halifax
	CJCH-6-TV Caledonia	Rebroadcast of CJCH Halifax
	CBHT-1-TV Liverpool	Rebroadcast of CBHT Halifax
Shelburne County	CBHT-2-TV Shelburne	Rebroadcast of CBHT Halifax
Yarmouth County	CBHT-3-TV Yarmouth	Rebroadcast of CBHT Halifax
	CBHFT-1-TV Yarmouth	Rebroadcast of CBAFT Moncton
	CJCH-7-TV Yarmouth	Rebroadcast of CJCH Halifax

Cable TV

		Subscribers
Digby County	Digby Cable T.V. Ltd., Digby	1,571
	Joseph P. Shannon, Meteghan	n/a
Lunenburg County	Central Cable Television Ltd., Bridgewater	5,418
	Don Himmelman, LaHave	n/a
	New Germany Cablevision Ltd., New Germany	n/a
	Tancook Island Television System Ltd., Blandford	n/a
Queens County	Able Cablevision Ltd., Liverpool	2,545
	Rush Air Services Ltd., Milford	1,354
Shelburne County	National Defense, Sherose Park	58
	Seabreeze Cablevision Ltd., Clark's Harbour	2,085
	Seabreeze Cablevision Ltd., Lockeport	338
	Seabreeze Cablevision Ltd., Shelburne	916
Yarmouth County	Viking Cable T.V. Ltd., Yarmouth	3,730

TRAVELLER ACCOMMODATIONS

	Hotel Rooms	Motel Rooms	Guest House Rooms	Cottages & Cabins	Total
Digby County	115	257	48	84	504
Lunenburg County	Ø	363	91	25	479
Queens County	Ø	106	6	64	176
Shelburne County	Ø	125	18	4	147
Yarmouth County	138	337	50	13	538
Total Southwestern Region	**253**	**1,188**	**213**	**190**	**1,844**

LIBRARIES

(Branch services of the Regional Libraries throughout the Province are not included in this listing.)

Digby County	Library, Universite Ste. Anne, Church Point
Lunenburg County	South Shore Regional Library, Bridgewater
Yarmouth County	Western Counties Regional Library, Yarmouth

MUSEUMS AND ART GALLERIES

Digby County	Admiral Digby Museum, Digby
	The Dutch Windmill, Bear River
	Gilbert Cove Lighthouse, Gilbert Cove
	Islands Museum and Tourist Bureau, Tiverton
	LaVieille Maison, Meteghan
	Le Musee Ste. Marie, Church Point
Lunenburg County	Des Brisay Museum, Bridgewater
	Fisheries Museum of the Atlantic, Lunenburg
	Fort Point Museum, LaHave
	Indian Crafts Museum, Newcombville
	LaHave Islands Marine Museum Society, LaHave
	Ovens Natural Park, Riverport
	Parkdale - Maplewood Museum, Parkdale
	Roaring 20's Museum, Blockhouse
	Ross Farm Museum, New Ross
	South Shore Genealogical Society, Lunenburg
	Wile Carding Mill, Bridgewater
Queens County	Heritage House Museum, Caledonia
	Perkins House, Liverpool
	Queens County Museum, Liverpool
Shelburne	Archelaus Smith Museum, Cape Sable Island
	Barrington Meeting House, Barrington
	Barrington Woolen Mill, Barrington
	Cape Sable Historical Society, Barrington
	Chapel Hill Museum, Shag Harbour
	Little School Museum, Lockeport
	Shelburne County Museum, Shelburne
	Ross Thompson House, Shelburne
Yarmouth County	Firefighters Museum of Nova Scotia, Yarmouth
	Habitat-Subsea City, Lower East Pubnico
	Le Musee Acadien de Pubnico Ouest, West Pubnico
	Yarmouth County Museum and Research Library, Yarmouth